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OUTLINES.

On Monday, afternoon at 3:30 o'clock an earthquake shock devastated the picturesque city of Kingston, Jamaica, the loss of life may exceed a hundred and several hundred people are injured and hundreds are homeless, among the killed is a prominent Englishman who was with a distinguished party of the English Cotton Growers' Association who went there to hold a conference with the farmers; following the earthquake fire broke out and all but destroyed the city——Hot words occurred between Senators Tillman and Spooner yesterday during the Senate Debate on the discharge of the negro troops; Spooner was goaded into a severe attack on Tillman and the South Carolina Senator gave notice that he would reply to the Wisconsin Senator's insults.——The House yesterday voted down the proposition to fortify the Philippines and also refused to fortify the Chesapeake Bay.——The Texas Legislature yesterday called upon the Attorney General of the State to send to that body documents alleged to connect Senator Bailey with the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, on which charges the Senator's enemies are endeavoring to prevent his re-election next week.——Martin F. Ansel, of Greenville, was yesterday inaugurated Governor of South Carolina; the new governor recommends more drastic legislation for the punishment of criminal assault on women and recommends a system of rural police. There is a deadlock in Rhode Island over the election of the United States Senator, the Democrats and Lincoln-Republicans having combined.——The Minnesota Legislature has ordered an investigation of the deal by which President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern Railway turned over vast tracts of ore land to the Steel Trust——New York markets: Money on call easy 3 to 4 1-2 per cent. ruling rate 4, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-2; spot cotton 10 points advanced closing steady at 10.80; flour dull but steady; wheat barely steady, No. 2 red 79 1-2 elevator; corn firm, No. 2 53 elevator; oats firm, mixed 39 to 39 1-2; turpentine quiet 72 1-2 to 73; rosin quiet, strained common to good 4.30.

The Legislature is after dope drinks. An analysis of some of them would astonish people who have acquired the habit.

A magazine writer asks: "Are there really angels?" He is not a North Carolinian for if he is he would know that there are angels.

With the big stick fighting on one side and the Pitchfork on the other, the discharged soldiers may finally have to cry out for somebody to save them from their friends.

President Roosevelt now has reason to know that Senator Foraker is as hard to reconcile as Senator Tillman. The alliance between Tillman and Foraker can be broken up with evidence, it seems.

It is now reported that the Czar is engaged in writing poetry. Why on earth does an already much hunted man do things to give further excuse to anarchists to want to put him out of business?

Judging from Senator Hopkins' defense of Mormon Senator Smoot one would infer that about all the Senator would infer that about all the Senators up to them to shy the first stone at Smoot.

Says the New York Times: "This matter of delayed trains has become an unendurable grievance and something must be done to mitigate or remove it."New York makes a noise like a cross-roads station.

After President Roosevelt's experience with the negro troops at Brownsville, he can realize that the man in the uniform has a great deal to do with the amount of respect taht should be paid to the uniform.

A contemporary remarks that "the face of Col. William J. Bryan wears a severe expression." Your face would look that way too, if you had to "grin and bear it" as long as Col. Bryan has been wanting to move into the White House.

It turns out that only about a dozen Democratic members of the House were engaged in the effort to oust John Sharp Williams and substitute Champ Clark as minority leader. Still there were enough insurgents to show us why it is so hard for Democrats to pull together long enough to make themselves formidable.

In Washington a few days ago a woman went to the capitol to solicit a few $20 bills from Congressmen with which to mend her waning fortune. She was arrested and an effort is being made to put her in an asylum. She evidently is crazy to think that Congressmen are there to reduce instead of increase their accumulations.

The bankrupt sale of Millinery at Donnelly & King's stand on Princess street, continues to attract crowds. Ladies select your flowers and ribbons at half price. **

...NERAL INCREASE

Employes Will Share in Prosperity of Coast Line Quarter Million Dollars Yearly.

ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY

Substantial Advance in Wages of All Clerks, Trainmasters, Agents, Dispatchers, Section Masters, Etc, Effective January 1st.

It was officially announced yesterday from the office of Mr. P. R. Albright, Assistant General Manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, that effective January 1st, a general increase in the salaries of all clerks, agents, trainmasters, dispatchers, section masters, etc., is granted. While the exact percentage of this increase has not yet been figured, it is stated that the advance will amount to an increase of the operating expenses of the road something over a quarter of a million dollars per year.

The generous action of the Atlantic Coast Line executive officials in this respect has been under consideration for some time and the general schedule of the pay rolls for all three divisions of the system is now being made up. Necessarily much time will be required in making all the adjustments, etc., and it is for that reason that the percentage at this time would be impossible to calculate. The increase is without regard to the other increases recently granted to employes in different departments who have been rewarded for efficiency of service and length of time employed, and is solely on account of the advance in the cost of living in all parts of the country. Mr. Albright stated that the increase was general and substantial and affected all employes in the brnaches of the service named and in departments allied. More than a thousand men in Wilmington are perhaps affected, to say nothing of as many morre perhaps all along the line of the road and at the two division headquarters at Savannah, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla., where a large number of clerical assistants are engaged.

The notice of the increase will no doubt be received with pleasure by the men and it will result in a more efficient service in all departments. It has been the policy of the Atlantic Coast Line to voluntarily look after the interests of its employes financially all the while and the relations between the employe and employer, so far as he road is concerned, have always been most pleasant. This latest evidence of the Coast Line's consideration for the "men behind the guns," so to speak, is as graceful as it can be and the action will be applauded not only by the employes themselves but by the public at large.

ZAZA THE ATTRACTION.

Matinee and Night Productions at the Academy Today.

The Academy today offers "Zaza," Mrs. Leslie Carter's brilliant success, and the offering will be for matinee and night. Seats for both performances are now selling.

Of the attraction yesterday's Charlotte Observer said:

" 'Bewildered' is the term with which to describe the state of the audiance that witnessed the production of "Zaza" by Mabel Montgomery and her supporting company at the Academy last night The play was witnessed by a fairly good audiance, and there were as many opinions of the play as there were individuals in the audience. The house was divided and the same might be said of the larger number of its members.

" 'Zaza' is a strong drama and teaches a moral. There is a question as to whether the lesson should be taught in the manner, but but it could not be more impressively taught than by the play. The work of Miss Montgomery in the title role was excellent throughout, and in the climax of the fourth act, when Zaza lets her lover know that she knows he is married, that she has seen his wife and child, and he turns on her and denounced her for what he thought she had done, it was superb, thrilling."

Howard Relief Dance.

The Howard Relief Club gives one of its enjoyable dances tonight at the club building on Front and Orange streets. At a recent meeting the club decided to set apart the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month for a dance, in addition to the other privileges of the club, and the dance tonight inaugurates that plan. No doubt every member will avail themselves of the opportunity of spending a pleasant evening at the club.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Steiff—Piano Bargains.
J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.—Dandelion.
Platt & Haar—White Sale at the Little Store.

Business Locals.

Edward Quinan—Position Wanted.
For Sale—Show Cases and Settees.
For Sale Cheap—Rough Inch Boards
High Point Eenterprise—Operator Wanted.

THE COUNTY SCHOOLS

Semi-Annual Apportionment of Fund to Various Districts in New Hanover—Amount Sufficient for Present Term of Institutions

The County Board of Education has made the semi-annual apportionment of the school fund of New Hanover for the six months ensuing January 1.

The amount reported on hand by the Treasurer was $36,649.54 from which was deducted $4,900.59 to reimburse Treasurer for amounts overdrawn for Fall sessions of the schools and $5,978.96 reserved for building and contingent fund, leaving net amount for apportionment $20,770. The apportionment was made on a basis of 7,570 pupils at $2.743 per capita. The townships are as follows:

Wilmington District, No. 1, $8,000; District No. 2, $8,500. Total $16,500.

Cape Fear, District No. 10, $315; District No. 12. $305; District No. 6, $375; total $995.

Federal Point, District No. 8 $255; District No. 9 $355; total $610.

Masonboro, District No. 4, $320; District No. 3, $285; District No. 16 $150; total $755.

Harnett, District No. 7 $275; District No. 13, $315; District No. 11; $315; District No. 5, $330; District No. 14 $325; District No. 15 $350; total $1,910.

The amount apportioned is sufficient to run all the schools the remainder of the term, but leaves nothing for new buildings.

LUMBERTON NEWS NOTES.

Work on New Railroad—Union Passenger Station—Mill News,

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, Jan., 15.—That Lumberton is to have another railroad now seems an assured fact. A large force of laborers began work here yesterday morning on the Virginia-Carolina Southern, which will run in a northerly direction, the terminus not yet being definitely decided upon, but it will be either Fayetteville, Hope Mills, or Parkton. The route offering best inducements in the way of right of way privileges will be adopted.

Several car loads of building material to be used in the construction of the new union passenger station to be built here by the Seaboard and Carolina Northern railroads have arrived and it is expected that work will begin in a short while. The building is to be of brick and is to cost $6,000.

The National Cotton Mills is now in operation having commenced work last week. The completion of the National adds much to the business activity of the town. The Dresden mill is nearing completion and will be in operation in a short time.

Besides the railroad north and the new coton mills we expect to have a graded school by Fall. Steps are now being taken to secure such an institution and the people seem almost unanimous for it. Look any direction here and new buildings are to be seen in course of construction. There is no boom or anything of the kind, but a good, steady, substantial growth is in progress. Lumberton people are justly proud of their town and are leaving nothing undone to make it more attractive to the outside world.

SALVATION ARMY LEADER.

Illustrated Lecture Here on Thursday Evening, January 24th.

Brigadier Alex M. Damon, who until recently held the important position of Field Secretary, in the United States and was lately appointed Provincial Commander of the territory comprising Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, and North Carolina, with headquarters in Philadelphia, will visit the Wilmington Post Thursday night week and deliver his famous lecture "Darkest America." The lecture will be illustrated with 100 magnificent colored views and a number of the newst songs will be sung by prominent Salvation Army vocalists. Brigadier Damon is a gifted and fluent speaker and the lecture will be entertaining and instructive. The Brigadier will be accompanied by his wife; also Major E. Barter, and Adjutant Core. The lecture will be given in the hall of the local post in the old Court House building, beginning at 8 o'clock.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Which Appear From Record Filed Yesterday.

Mrs. Zellah Fowler to Samuel Behrends for $100 and other considerations, property on north side of Wooster street, 109 feet west of Front, 66 x107 feet in size.

Frank J. Dempsey and wife to Geo. W. Johnson, of Pender county, for $3,600, two tracts of land in Cape Fear township, on north side of Gordon road, about five miles from Wilmington.

S. R. Ellis to D. Wilbon Davis, for $50 and other considerations, property on north side of Meares 150 feet east of Fourth street 33x88 feet in size.

Wanted, a young man of thorough English education, who is a resident of Wilmington, to assist in clerical work and local reporting in the Star office. Best references required. **

25 per cent Discount Sale on cut glass, fancy China and all other fancy goods, for ten days only. F. A. Bissinger, 119 Market street. ja-15-2t.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Both Houses of North Carolina Legislature Had Busy Session Yesterday.

SIMMONS FOR SENATOR

Nominated by Democratic Caucus—Judge Clark in Opposition—All Railway Hearings Postponed For the Present.

(By So. Bell Telephone Company.)

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 15.—In the State Senate to-day Webb, of Buncombe, introduced a bill to increase the salaries of State officials and providing an assistant for the Attorney General. The salaries named are: Governor $6,000; Secretary of State $4,000; Attorney General $3,000; Insurance Commissioner $3,000; Superintendent of Public Instruction $3,000; Corporation Commissioners $2,500 each; Commissioner of Agriculture $2,500. The bill was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

A bill was introduced in the Senate by Drewry, of Wake, for the regulation of Insurance Companies and preventing them from contributing to campaign funds.

In the House there was a lengthy discussion of the Bickett bill requiring all lobbyists to register. This passed its second reading by a good majority but went over until to-morrow on objection being lodged to third reading.

The House passed the Douglass bill to amend the Watts and Ward acts so elections on prohibition may be held as on dispensary and saloons. Mr. Douglass is a member of the House from Wake and is a leader of the temperance forces.

The Senate.

The Senate was opened with prayer at 11 o'clock by Rev. McNeely DuBose rector of St. Mary's School. The committee reported the ratification of the resolution to celebrate Gen. Lee's birthday. Senator King introduced a bill to prohibit appeals to Superior Court in judgments for $25 and less. Other bills were:

Drewry, of Wake—To enable county commissioners to dispose of county property; also to provide pensions for negroes who served the Confederacy.

Mason, of Northampton—To allow married women to contract; also a bill to license attorneys at law, providing that the State Bar Association conduct the examinations for same.

Greer, of Columbus—To promote safety of the traveling public on railroads; also to prevent railroad collisions and provide for use of block system on same.

Turner, of Pasquotank—To compel water companies to provide good and wholesome water.

President Winston announced the invitation for the Governor and Mrs. Glenn for the reception at the Executive Mansion Thursday night.

In The House.

Rev. R. T. Vann, of the Baptist Female University, opened the House with prayer. Speaker Justice announced additional committees. Morton, of New Hanover is added to that on Finance; McNeill to Insurance. Vann was announced as chairman of the Fish and Fisheries Committee and Taylor, of Brunswick, was made a member of the same. Hankins is named as chairman of the committee on Counties, Cities and Towns..

Preston sent forward a memorial from the North Carolina Retail Merchants' Association appealing for legislation that the Association had espoused.

Among the bills introduced to-day were:

Vestal, of Edgecombe—To ascertain number of insane in jails and county homes in the State.

Stevens, of Union—To require candidates for office to file an itemized statement of expenditures in campaigns and to prevent corporations from contributing funds to campaigns.

Bolton, of Cumberland—To increase the pension appropriation from $275,000 to $500,000.

Weaver, of Buncombe—To compel railroad companies to provide electric headlights and use the block system.

Preston, of Mecklenburg—To regulate baggage allowed passengers on railroads.

Koonce, of Onslow—To provide for an election of county boards of education by a vote of the people.

The committee on Public Service Corporations at a meeting to-night decided to defer action on all railroad bills to January 25th, by which time they want all bills affecting railroads introduced and thereafter they will have daily hearings for railroad officials and citizens.

A joint Democratic caucus was held to-night for the nomination of a United States Senator. B. B. Winborne, of Hertford, was chairman. Col. N. A. McLean, of Robeson, placed in nomination Hon. F. M. Simmons to succeed himself. Representative J. A. Lockhart, of Anson, sprung a surprise by nominating Chief Justice Walter Clark, of the Supreme Court. Seconding speeches were made for Simmons by R. A. Doughton, of Allegheny and Thomas W. Blount of Washington. A roll call vote showed Simmons, 130, Clark four. The four voting for Clark were Senator Reed, of Wentworth, and Representatives Lockhart, of Anson; Johnson, of Caswell, and Sharp of Rockingham. The nomination for Simmons was later made unanimous on motion of Lockhart. Mr. Simmons was introduced to the caucus and responded to calls for a speech. He said: "The honor of the nomination filled his heart with a vaunting sense of pride." He pledged all his strength and proper discharge of his official duthe proper discharge of his official duties, and through the caucus thanked the Democracy of North Carolina for the high honor.

WANTED TO SUICIDE

Despondent Prisoner Hung Himself by Hammock Cord in Police Station Cell Yesterday—West India Half-Breed Negro Sailor.

William Jacobson, about 30 years of age, a West India half-breed, claiming to be a shipwrecked sailor, the same person who some time ago in a drunken condition applied to the British Vice Consul here for assistance and was sent to the roads for thirty days, for outrageous conduct in the office when temporarily denied his application for assistance pending an investigation of his case, made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide by hanging himself by a cord torn from a hammock in a cell at the police station where he was confined yesterday morning for being drunk and down, having just completed his sentence on the roads. The rash act of the man was discovered by fellow risoners in the guard house, who made an outcry with the result that officers at police headquarters ran down and forced the man to desist before his effort at self destruction was complete.

Jacobson came in from the convict camp at Castle Haynes yesterday morning and with some money that had been given him he proceeded to get drunk at the first opportunity with the result that he was sent in from Third and Brunswick streets by Officer Leon George. He was locked up senseless but between 12:30 and 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, he revived. He carefully unlaced the stout cord supporting the canvas hammock in his cell and fixing a noose in one end, he tied the other to a gas pipe overhead and had swung himself loose when the fact was discovered was given. Although a sailor, he had made a rather bungling job of his hangsman's noose and to that fact is probably due his life today. The officers who ran to his assistance quickly got him down and he has since apparently suffered no serious consequences from the drop, though he vows that he will end his existence at the first opportunity. With this threat, even after his trying experience, the officers have removed everyhing from his cell and he is being closely watched. The man has a broken arm, can speak very little English, tells a tale of shipwreck and homesickness that causes him to be pitied rather than condemned for his conduct since he has been in Wilmington. He is dejected to a degree seldom seen in one of his race and an effort will be made to do something for him.

LOCAL DOTS.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, second floor of Odd Fellows' building. Services to-night, —January 16th. All are welcome.

—The schooner R. T. Rundlett, 219 tons, Capt. Johnson, arrived yesterday to C. D. Maffitt with cargo of fertilizers from Baltimore for the Pocomoke Guano Company.

Miss Mary Aledman's Select School on North Fifth street, was appropriately decorated yesterday in honor of the veterans who are in the city for the reunion.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. P. A. Gardner will be conducted this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Branch, No. 1606 Market street. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery

—The British steamer England, Capt. William Curtis, the last of the cotton ships in port, cleared yesterday for Liverpool, England, with cargo of 13,200 bales, valued at $700,002, and consigned by Messrs Alexander Sprunt & Son. Several other steamers have been chartered to load cotton here and are expected in within the next few days.

Tribute to Joe Cronly.

Editor Wade Harris, of the Charlotte Chronicle, who knew him well when both were connected with this paper years ago, pays the following neat tribute to the late Joseph M. Cronly:

"Mr. Joe M. Cronly, who died in Brooklyn Friday, was one of the members of the popular family of Cronly boys of Wilmington. Some years ago he was employed in the office of The Morning Star and held the esteem of all who knew him. He was a courteous, gallant young Southerner. May he sleep well in peaceful Oakdale, which, though hung with drooping moss as if in sorrow for the dead, is yet starred with lilies in token of the brighter life."

It was cruel to say in the Star yesterday that the "Georgia Hussar" had "rough" hands. He is a tonsorial artist of the first water and his touch is as gentle as an evening zephyr. Give him a trial at the shaving emporium of Guion & Davis. **

45c ribbon 25c; 35c ribbon 19c; 25c ribbon 10c at Bankrupt Sale at Donnelly & King's. **

Donnelly & King's Bankrupt Stock is being sacrificed on Princess street.

IN BROTHERLY LOVE

Veterans of the Blue and the Gray on Fort Fisher Grounds Yesterday.

REUNION A BIG SUCCESS

Great Outpouring of People at Opera House Last Night—High School Pupils Sung National Airs and Vets Were Reminiscent.

Under a clear Southern sky, a typical Summer day, combining weather conditions that were perfect for an outing of its kind, grizzly veterans of the blue and the gray, men of the rank and the file, for three hours yesterday wandered together about scenes, even after a lapse of 42 years, that were strangely and tragically familiar to them. It was the principal feature of the annual reunion of the survivors on both sides of the memorable conflict at Fort Fisher, at the mouth of the Cape Fear river, and these scenes were the ruins of that famous garrison which capitulated on the fifteenth of January, 1865, the reunion being on the anniversary of the great battle where so many brave sons of the North and the South gave up their lives as a sacrifice to a cause which each believed was to be. This was followed by an overflow meeting of the veterans and their friends last night in the Academy of Music, this city, at which the soldiers of the blue and gray exchanged reminiscences of the fight and listened with bosoms swelling with pride to 226 high school pupils, who sang National and Confederate airs and waved alternately National and Confederate flags while the audience cheered the patriotic demonstration to the echo. It was a fitting climax to what everyone declares a most satisfactory and highly successful reunion of the forces on both sides of an internecine warfare that now dwells only in the recollections of those who were present last night. Rev. J. A. Smith, of the Confederate and Rev. George B. Fairhead, of the Union Army, who were the leading spirits in arranging the reunion, are due a vote of everlasting thanks by the men of both sides and the people of Wilmington for the magnificent success they have achieved.

On To Fisher.

The three hundred and more veterans who were here for the reunion, assembled yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at the Wilmington Light Infantry Armory, on Market street, and promptly at the appointed hour, they formed a line of march and proceeded together to the steamer Wilmington's wharf, Col. William Lamb, the defender of Fort Fisher, marching at the head of the Confederate column and Gen. N. M. Curtis, who led the attack on Fisher at the head of the Federals. At the boat the Confederates opened ranks, allowing the Northern soldiers to pass through aboard the boat with an interchange of salutes that was inspiring. There was an immense crowd The boat was filled to the capacity allowed by the marine laws, many citizens of Wilmington and ladies of the city accompanying the old soldiers. Some were even denied passage on the first boat and waited for the Atlantic, leaving an hour later. The trip to the fort was made without incident and in good time. Luncheon was served on board and the veterans chatted pleasantly together, in the best of fellowship, recounting stirring war-time experiences that would fill a book Luncheon was served on board the boat and every attention was shown the visitors of both commands. There was no set programme on the grounds, which were reached by a substantial board walk across the "rocks," built by the arrangement committees. Around the ruins the survivors marched, picking up here and there in the white sand, gruesome mementos in the shape of fragments of shot and shell. One of these was brought to the city by Comrade W. M. Skipper, of Delgado, and it forms an interesting curiosity, weighing several pounds and being only a small part of the original.

The boats with the enthusiastic soldiers and their friends on board, reached the city in the early evening in plenty of time for all the visitors to go to the homes assigned them, get supper and reach the Academy of Musim in time for the evening reception.

Last Night's Meeting.

Without a doubt the largest audience that ever assembled in the Academy of Music was present when the meeting was called to order last night. Even with the gallery filled and the doors and windows packed with humanity, many had to be turned away. The parquet of the theatre was reserved for the veterans until all had been seated and the second gallery for the ladies until as many of them as could get in the house were seated. The arrival of Col. Lamb and Gen. Curtis was greeted with an applause that was none the less deafening than that which greeted the appearance on the stage of the more than two hundred high school students, who formed a pretty background for the veterans who sat to the front. The girls largely predominated in the assembly of students and in their snowy costumes of white, with sashes of red and blue, completing the National color scheme, they formed a picture that was inspiring. The singing by the students was led by Prof. H. Womersley and formed

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COME TO ATTEND BELATED FUNERAL.

Among the Federal veterans who are here to attend the Blue and the Gray reunion is Major J. H. Reeve, of Washington, superintendent Division of Stamps, Postoffice Department. He was commanding officer of the Third New York Volunteer Infantry, at the battle of Fort Fisher and lost his right leg there, a shell having taken it off just below the knee. He is a fine looking gentleman and despite his army service and the loss of his leg he appears to be a well preserved soldier. He was anxious to come to the reunion and here is his application to the Postoffice Department so he could come to Wilmington:

"Postoffice Department,
"Third Assistant Postmaster General,
"Division of Stamps,
Washington, Jan., 9, 1907.

"Hon. Edwin C. Madden,
"Third Assistant Postmaster General,

"Dear Sir:—Next Saturday evening I wish to go to Wilmington, N. C., to attend the funeral of the part of myself that was buried there 42 years ago next Monday. Strange as it may seem, I left without figuring personally in the aforementioned obsequies. Having figured it out carefully, that to do the pray and falling tear act becomingly, to find the Johnnie Reb who is responsible for my fat pension and to thank him adequately, will take about one week, therefore, I have the honor to ask to be excused from duty from January 14th to January 19th, inclusive.

"Very respectfully,
"J. H. REEVE,
"Superintendent Division of Stamps."

As a matter of course, the application for leave was promptly granted and Major Reeve is here receiving a most cordial greeting from the Confederate veterans who at one time didn't want to leave him a leg to stand on. Now, if it were in their power they would set him upon his legs again,, but as it is he is pretty spry, and even if he hasn't but one leg, he is determined to keep up with the procession.

Major Reeve enters very heartily into the spirit of the reunion and brings with him two songs which have just been produced by this event which brings former antagonists together as a band of brothers who have scratched out old scores.

Here is one to be sung to the tune of Dixie:

The Land of Cotton.

We meet once more in the land of cotton,
Old Fort Fisher's not forgotten,
When away, when away, when away from the land of Dixie.
We come not now in line of battle,
Sword unsheathed and musket rattle,
We're away, we're away, we're away down South in Dixie.

Chorus.

We are glad to be in Dixie, Hurrah! Hurrah!
On Cape Fear sand we take our stand,
And shout "Hurrah!" for Dixie.
Hurrah! Hurrah! for all our friends in Dixie.
Hurrah! Hurrah! for all our friends in Dixie.

War's "CURTIS"-eye did make us winner,
It gave us "LAMB" for a New Year's dinner.
When away, when away, when away down here in Dixie.
No enemies are now before us,
One flag only floating o're us,
Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah for the land of Dixie.

Chorus.

We are glad to be in Dixie, Hurrah! Hurrah!
On Cape Fear sand we take our stand,
And shout "Hurrah!" for Dixie.
Hurrah! Hurrah! for all our friends in Dixie.
Hurrah! Hurrah! for all our friends in Dixie.

We met you once with cannon crashing,
Mortars booming, rifles flashing,
When away, when away, when away down here in Dixie.
But now you welcome us in gladness,
Cheer us in our thoughts of sadness,
While away, while away, while away down here in Dixie.

Chorus.

We love our friends in Dixie, Hurrah! Hurrah!
We give the toast we love the most,
"God bless them all in Dixie."
Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah for the land of Dixie.
Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah for the land of Dixie.

The other song is as follows:

FORT FISHER. 1907.

(To air of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee.")

Hail, Comrades! Here's to you,
Both of the Gray and Blue,
Of years ago.
Down here in Dixie lands,
Where old Fort Fisher stands;
This day true love commands:
Let all men know.

Now we each other greet,
Here at Fort Fisher meet,
As friends, not foes.
All do remenmebr well
When angry shot and shell
Made this an earthly hell
With all its woes.

Here we are met today,
Men of the Blue and Gray,
And we'll clasp hands.
God send His spirit here,
Bringing each comrade cheer,
Blessing our country dear

Above all lands.

So we see that a Federal veteran who all but sacrificed his life at Fort Fisher comes back singing songs to u

A singular coincidence of the reunion is that Major Reeve was recognized by one of his comrades who had not laid eyes on him since the battle at Fort Fisher. That comrade was Captain J. C. Russ, of Chautauqua county, N. Y. who commanded the 112th New York at the battle after Col. J. F. Smith, its commander, fell mortally wounded. Captain Russ was near Major Reeve when he was struck by the piece of shell which caused the loss of his leg and remembered the incident and recognized the Major as soon as they met. Previous to this reunion the last time he saw Major Reeve was when he was wounded.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Wilmington is now moving for a union station, and ought to get it. There is not a town in the State more in need of one.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Arrangements are being made for a Legislature in the Philippines. After it gets down to work, the Filipinos may learn what real trouble is like.—Washington Post.

—Gov. Hoch speaks of the judiciary as "the final citadel of our liberties" and "the urn containing the holy of holies of government." A few more outbreaks like that and there will be no living with our judges.—Washington Post.

—Down here where flowers are in full bloom and people are sitting on their porches enjoying the balmy air it is refreshing to read of the great tie-up of railroad traffic in the West on account of snow storms. Trains are buried in drifts. Many of these trains were carrying coal to the famine districts and the privations of the people will be greatly intensified by their detention.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—The new United States Senator from Montana, Joseph M. Dixon, who will succeed William A. Clark, is a native of North Carolina, and has been in Congress two terms as a representative from the State of his adoption. Doesn't it seem that you meet those Tar Heels everywhere you turn? And they are mighty good people, too.—Savannah News.

—It seems to us that the demand for a two-cent passenger fare is asking too much. The average fare is not three cents and to cut off a third of this amount at one "fell swoop" does not show any disposition whatever to treat the railroads with reason. In the history of a State two years is not a long time. It would be best, we should think to try a two and one-half cent rate for two years, and, later on, if the circumstances seem to warrant it, reduce the rate somewhat further.—Greensboro Telegram.

—A bill has been introduced in the South Carolina Legislature for the establishment of State fertilizer factories, to be operated by convict labor. The idea, however, is not a new one. It has been proposed in South Carolina periodically ever since the adoption of the dispensary system inoculated some of the Legislators with the virus of State Socialism, but heretofore it has been virtually laughed out of court as it will no doubt be this time. The claim is that there is a fertilizer trust, and that the State ought to go into the fertilizer business to break that trust. But there is a rubber trust and an oil trust and a beef trust; should the State engage in those businesses for the purpose of breaking up the trusts?—Savannah News.

TWINKLINGS.

—Why is the Statue of Liberty's hand 11 inches long? Because if it was 12 inches it would be a foot."—New York Times.

—"How long has Mrs. Wayback been wearing her hair that way?" Oh, two or three years—off and on."—Cleveland Press.

—"I've got you down for a couple of tickets; we're getting up a raffle for a poor man of our neighborhood." "None for me, thank you, I wouldn't know what to do with a poor man if I won him."—Philadelphia Press.

—"It was brave of you to tackle that burglar the way you did. Where did you get the nerve?" "Oh, that was easy. You see, that morning I had discharged the cook."—Baltimore American.

—Mrs. Strong—What did you say, dear, when he asked you your age? Miss Sharp—I told him the truth. Mrs. Strong—You did. Really! Miss Sharp—Yes, I told him it was none of his busines.s—Boston Transcript.

—Bones—Why are you crawling under the machine? There's nothing the matter with it. Jones—I know, but there comes Brown. If he sees with this auto he'll expect me to pay him the money I owe him.—Detroit Free Press.

—"So you have dismissed your fortune-teller?" "Yes," answered the Czar. "Have you ceased to worry about the future?" I'm so busy dodging the present that I don't have time to think about the future."—Washington Star.

—Mrs. Highmus—You ought to have hard the sermon at our church last Sunday morning. It was on Beelzebub. Mrs. Sudden Clymer—Ah, yes; he's an interesting character. By the way, I seem to have forgotten for the moment, what does the B. L. stand for?—Chicago Tribune.

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Carver's Creek, Hebron	Feb 9-10
White and Chadbourn, Whiteville	Feb 10-11
New River, Snead's Ferry (Night)	Feb 14
Jacksonville and Richlands, Rich	Feb. 16-17
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The Perversity Of Young Love

[Original.]

Horace Bradbury and Julia Inslee were of a very simple type of young lovers. One would naturally suppose that they would twine together like two vine shoots. Their hearts did, but they did not. This was not because there were obstructions in the way of their union, for there were not. It was a simple natural perversity.

In the first place, Horace took a long time to discover that he wanted Julia—so long indeed that every one else, including the object of his affection, knew it long before he did himself.

Horace at last found out the secret of his heart, and when he did he burned to tell it at once to the girl he loved. He chose the first opportunity that presented itself, and that was not a propitious one. They were together on a nutting party with a large number of young people of their own age. Horace asked Julia to saunter away from the others with him. Julia knew at a glance his object in going and with a natural feminine perversity, together with a desire to punish him for taking so much time before making his declaration, threw straws in his way.

"What do you want to go away from all the fun for?" she asked.

"I want to show you something."

"What?"

"A bridge below over the creek. It's a nice place to sit and talk."

"What do you want to talk about?"

"I've something important to tell you."

"Suppose I don't want to hear it."

Horace was thrown flat aback. It hadn't occurred to him that she would not wish to hear what he had to say.

"Well, then," he said, "I suppose there's no use in telling you," and, walking away, he joined some one else.

The two did not come together again till shortly before the time of departure. Then Julia was very gracious. Horace's brow was cloudy. Julia remarked that there would be time for a walk before going home. Horace said there would be only time for a very short walk, and he didn't care for a short walk.

"I thought you had something to tell me?" said Julia.

"I had," said Horace.

"What has become of it?" asked Julia.

"You didn't want to hear it, and I'm keeping it for some one else."

Julia looked sober. She said nothing for awhile, but when she did it formed a very important link in these very ordinary proceedings.

"Jim Hawkins wanted me to walk to the bridge with him awhile ago," she said.

Jim Hawkins was Horace's only rival—that is, he would have been had Horace had a rival. At any rate, his name at this critical juncture struck as much terror into Horace as the name of the Black Douglas in days of old into little children. But perversity is not solely a feminine trait.

"Why didn't you go?" he remarked.

"It wouldn't have been very nice of me to go with him when I had refused to go with you."

"Maybe he had something to tell you."

"If he had I didn't want to hear it."

Circumstance as well as perversity has something to do with such cases, and in this case circumstance interfered just as the matter was in a fair way to be straightened out. Mary Dale, the only girl Julia was afraid of so far as Horace was concerned, came up and reminded Horace that he had promised to show her the waterfall up the creek a bit. Horace said that he would not only keep his promise, but be very glad to do so.

When Horace and Mary returned the picnic was breaking up and the young people were putting the empty lunch baskets into the wagons. Horace looked about for Julia and failed to see her. He hunted for her and found her sitting behind a big tree crying. Woman's tears are to a man what oil is to hardened putty. Horace softened.

"What's the matter?" he asked, in a loverlike tone.

"I'm disappointed," she sobbed, dabbing her handkerchief into her eyes.

"What about?"

"I've always wanted to see that bridge and now we're going home and I haven't."

This was a surprise to Horace. He stood thinking.

"Would you like to go to the bridge now?" he asked presently.

"How'll we get home?"

"We'll have to walk, I expect."

"I don't know that I can walk so far."

"I think you can. It's only seven miles."

Some one cried "All aboard!"

"Can you do it?"

Julia made no reply. The tree was between her and the wagons and she was waiting for them to be gone.

The wagons once on their way, Horace and Julia waited till the shouting of the boys and girls died away in the distance, then Julia arose and the two walked down the creek toward the bridge.

The story had already been told. What use to trudge a mile to tell it again in words? And were any words spoken? If they were they were doubtless but three, and could have been said at any time.

The pair sat by the bridge five minutes, then got up and proceeded to pay for the privilege of having done so by a three hours' tramp to town. Was it paying for the privilege or was it an additional happiness? One must either be very young or have a good memory to answer the question.

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Lv Wilmington ..	9.00 a m	6.35 p m
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Ar Wilson	1.07 p m	10.25 p m
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Ar, Petersburg ..	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia ..	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

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	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia ..	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington...	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond ...	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar, Petersburg ...	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
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Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar, Wilmington ..	10.18 a m	6.10 p m

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	Daily	Daily	Daily
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Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar, Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa..		7.10 pm	10.02 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar, Wilmington	12.28 am	1.54 pm

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Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

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Leave Wilmington 2 P. M.

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To The Beach.

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Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 7.00 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

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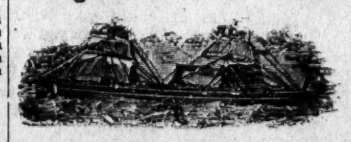

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The Morning Star.

Wednesday, January 16, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, Jan. 16, 1907.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours, ending at 8 P. M. Tuesday, January 15.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 56 degrees; at 8 P. M. 61 degrees; maximum 77 degrees; minimum 56 degrees; mean 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day 00; rainfall since the first of the month to date .05 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville 8 A. M Tuesday 4 feet. feet.

Forecast.

For North Carolina—Rain Wednesday; rapidly falling temperature Thursday, partly cloudy, colder on the coast, winds becoming north and fresh to brisk.

Port Almanac—January 16, 1907.

Sun Rises	7:09 A M
Sun Sets	5:12 P M
Days length	10 hrs
High water at Southport	10:11 P M
High water at Wilmington	12:41 A M

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wood, of Camden Junction, S. C., are in the city visiting relatives.

—Messrs. A. C. McCaskill and J. L. McLean, of Maxton, were pleasant visitors at the Star office yesterday.

—Mr. Edward Sessoms, of Stedman, one of the Fort Fisher veterans, favored the Star with a pleasant call yesterday evening.

—Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Mr. Enoch C. Reynolds, of Delgado, to Miss Lizzie Call a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Call, of this city.

—The Army and Navy Register, of Washington, contains the following. "Mrs. Ella Rust Smith, of Washington, announces the engagement of her daughter, Nell Rust Smith, to Mr. Wentworth Willis Peirce, of Warsaw, N. C., formerly a cadet at the United States Military Academy, an ex-pay clerk of the U. S. Navy, of the U. S. S. Florida."

A Poet's Homely Face.

The poet Rogers was afflicted with a notably unpleasant, cadaverous countenance, which, with all his intellectual power, was a mortification to him. To hide his annoyance, he joked about his ugliness incessantly and deceived his friends into supposing him indifferent to it. He once turned to Sydney Smith, who, with Byron and Moore, was dining with him, and said:

"Chantrey wants to perpetuate this miserable face of mine. What pose would you suggest that I should take?"

"If you really wish to spare the world as much as possible," said the wit, "I would, if I were you, be taken at my prayers, my face buried in my hands."

Rogers laughed with the other persons present, but he shot a malignant glance at the jester and, it is said, never fully forgave him for the bonmot.

Thankfulness.

I am no friend to the people who receive the bounties of Providence without visible gratitude. When the sixpence falls into your hat you may laugh. When the messenger of an unexpected blessing takes you by the hand and lifts you up and bids you walk you may leap and run and sing for joy, even as the lame man whom St. Peter healed skipped piously and rejoiced aloud as he passed through the beautiful gate of the temple. There is no virtue in solemn indifference. Joy is as much a duty as beneficence is. Thankfulness is the other side of mercy.—Henry Van Dyke.

Facial Horticulture.

"A new milkman left our milk today," announced Dorothy.

"Did he have whiskers?" asked her mother, thinking perhaps it was the proprietor.

"No," said the four-year-old; "he didn't have whiskers, but he had the roots."—Harper's Weekly.

Why She Couldn't.

"No, I didn't have a very good time," she said. "I wanted to talk, and there wasn't a man there."

"But there were plenty of other girls."

"Oh, of course, but that was no satisfaction, for they all wanted to talk too."

Unfair.

Another unfair thing in life—the bride, with a wealth of hair, wears a veil, but the groom, who has a bald spot and really needs a veil to cover it, is denied the privilege.—Atchison Globe.

If thou love learning thou shalt be learned.—Socrates.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C .O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both day and night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50 cnts and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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TRAINING DOG POLICE.

Breaking In of the Seine Patrol One of the Sights of Paris.

The training of the young Newfoundlands that are periodically added to the staff is one of the sights of Paris. It takes place in the headquarters of the agents plongeurs, a small building on the quayside not far from the Cathedral of Notre Dame. Dogs and men enter into the exercise with zest, and there is usually a crowd of onlookers. Only dummy figures are used, but the "rescue" is nevertheless a very realistic affair. The big dogs know perfectly well what the exercise means, and they wait with comic enthusiasm until the dummy is thrown into the water and an agent plongeur rushes out on hearing the splash and the outcry of spectators. While the men are busy with lines and life buoys the dog plunges into the water, swims to the dummy, watches with rare intelligence for an opportunity to get an advantageous hold, and then it either swims ashore or waits for its master, who brings to the rescue long poles, cork belts and the like. The more experienced dogs, however, will easily effect a rescue from first to last without human assistance, and it is an inspiring sight to watch them looking for a foothold on the slippery sides of the river bank and pulling the heavy dummy into a place of safety.

It takes about four months to train the dogs efficiently. They are also charged with the protection of their masters when attacked by the desperate ruffians who sleep under the arches of the bridge in summer. Thus in Paris the police dogs are a proved success.—Century.

A GREAT BEER HOUSE.

Munich Owns the Oldest and Largest Saloon In the World.

The Hofbrauhaus of Munich is perhaps the oldest and largest saloon in the world, owned by the king of Bavaria and patronized by an average of 12,000 customers a day. On holidays the number often runs up to 15,000 and 16,000. Nothing to drink is sold but beer, brewed at the royal brewery, which was started by King Ludwig the Severe in 1255. The present Hofbrauhaus was built in 1644, and the beer was brewed on the spot until 1878, when the brewery was moved into the country to less expensive quarters.

There are seats for 1,500 customers, plain wooden benches without backs beside plain wooden tables without covers. In the garden or court are 100 empty beer barrels set on end, which are used for tables. The steins, which are very heavy and hold a quart of beer, are piled up in stacks before the bar on the floor in the morning, where they remain until they are used.

When a customer wants beer he picks out a stein, takes it to one of the basins of running water which line the walls and washes it himself. Then he carries it to the counter and hands it over to the bartender, who fills it with beer from the barrel. The price is 6 cents a stein, and the profits support the hospitals of the city, although the king could claim them if he desired to do so, as the brewery and the Hofbrauhaus belong to him by inheritance.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Surfeit of Oratory.

One of the mistaken theories is that a "public speaker" is necessary to the success of any public affair. This theory had its rise at a time when oratory was a fad. Orators were cultivated, and they were supposed to take human passions in their hands and toy with them. In this practical age public speakers are a bore, and nobody cares anything about them. People gather to be entertained and not lectured. But, this theory having been established that a "public speaker" is important to a picnic, an orator is hauled out and set loose on a few old gentlemen with canes and a few mothers who must occupy the benches in taking care of the children.—Sabetha Herald.

Shot an Angel.

Now and again we hear of strange and rare birds being shot in England, but how many sportsmen except Mr. Wells' clergyman can claim to have shot an angel? One such man exists, though it is doubtful whether he is proud of his skill. It was nighttime, and he was passing Crayford parish churchyard with his gun over his shoulder when he saw what he took for a ghost. He leveled his piece and fired, but his aim was wild. He had failed to wing his quarry. Investigation showed that the ghost was a sculptured angel on a tomb, and he had shot off one of its toes!—London Chronicle.

High Finance.

"Say," began Burroughs, "lend me a five, will you?"

"See here," replied Markley. "If you'd only save your own money you wouldn't have to borrow from your friends."

"But by borrowing from my friends I do save my own money!"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Sleep.

Now blessings light on him that first invented sleep. It covers a man all over, thoughts and all, like a cloak; it is meat for the hungry, drink for the thirsty, heat for the cold and cold for the hot.—Cervantes.

Quite Different.

He—But I thought you'd forgiven me for that and promised to forget it? She—Yes; but I didn't promise to let you forget I'd forgiven it!

Some men are born great, some achieve greatness and some couldn't tell to save their necks how it happened.

IN BROTHERLY LOVE

(Continued From First Page.)

an interesting feature of the exercises of the evening.

An earnest and eloquent invocation of deity by the Rev. John B. Wicks, of the 11th New York Volunteers, opened the exercises. Rev. J. A. Smith of Wilmington, presided at the meeting, stating that Col. Lamb was unwell and somewhat fatigued after the day's trip to the fort and he would endeavor to fill the position to the satisfaction of everyone, impressing upon all the necessity for quiet. Col. Lamb was present, however, occupying a position on the stage and interrupting occasionally "to keep the record straight." The appearance of the Academy Orchestra in the pit was pleasing and the music contributed during the evening was much appreciated.

"America" was sung with spirit by the High School students and the first of a series of ten-minute reminiscences was given by Rev. George B. Fairhead, of the 117th New York. He is a pleasant speaker, told of his early impressions of patriotism, gave one or two interesting incidents of Fisher and closed with a pleasing reference to the spirit of unity and brotherly love that the reunion seems to have brought about.

Judge A. O. Wright, of Jacksonville, Fla., gave some interesting anecdotes of the fight, interspersing his remarks with bits of history that were pleasing.

"Ho! For Carolina" by the High School students preceded an address and valuable historical paper of some length by Hon. M. J. D. Ives, of the 47th New York. The singing of "Dixie" preceded a most graceful and interesting reminiscence by Col. A. M. Waddell, mayor of the city. Col. Waddell was given great applause, much of it coming from the Union side but just the least bit more from the "Johnny Rebs," who could not contain themselves at his earnest tribute.

Rev. N. B. Stone, of the 112th New York Volunteers, made possibly the neatest speech of the evening. It breathed the spirit of affection and brotherly love. Col. William Lamb paid a beautiful tribute to the men who fought under his command and spoke of the beneficial effect of these reunions in restoring a united country. The Acme Male Quartette favored the audience with a sweet rendition of "My Old Kentucky Home," and responded to a most enthusiastic encore with "Juanita."

Comrade Evans of the 117th New York, was introduced and made a most pleasing address, extolling the arts of peace rather than those of war; referring to the kindly offices of President Roosevelt in the Russo-Japanese controversy and expressing the opinion that more was gained by arbitration than resort to arms. He closed with a motion that the Northern survivors use every effort to have the National government establish a suitable memorial at Fort Fisher to commemorate the deeds of those who died there on both sides and endorsing the action of the committee the same afternoon in memorializing Congress to adopt the grounds of Fisher as a National Park. The motion was seconded by an enthusiastic address from the audience by Comrade John B. Jones, of the 117th New York Volunteers, pledging the efforts of his organization and that of the Congressman from his district in securing the desired ends. A comrade from the Third North Carolina district pledged the efforts of his brilliant young Congressman, Hon. Charles R. Thomas, and said that the same might be said of the two Senators from this State. Lieut. E. H. Risley, of the 117th New York, added to the motion a vote of thanks to the people of the South for the most cordial reception which they have received, to the students of the High School and to the ladies of Wilmington for their kindly interest and attendance at the reunion. The motions and amendments were carried unanimously by both the blue and the gray, who stood in response to the the call of the question by Lieut. Risley. Then, led by Rev. Mr. Fairhead, three lusty cheers were given by the Northern veterans in honor of their comrades from the South.

The "boys" in front, from the trend of affairs on the stage, saw that the machinery of adjournment was about to get in motion and they would have none of it. There were loud and persistent calls for Gen. Curtis, who charmed all so completely with his graceful speech on the evening before at the Court House. Gen. Curtis responded courteously saying that the audience had committed a very grave indiscretion and he feared they would live to regret it. But they didn't. A man of fine presence, graceful, eloquent kindly, considerate with the few words which he uttered he carried the audience with him and sat down amid the heartiest applause of the evening.

Capt. Parker, of the U. S. Navy, read a fetching little poem that he conceived must have been written by some love-sick swain on the grounds of the memorable conflict. It was listened to with great interest and liberally applauded.

After announcements of a meeting at 10 o'clock this morning in the Court House and other features of the closing day of the reunion, the Assembly was dismissed with a benediction by Rev. Mr. Fairhead and as the veterans passed out the theatre the children on the stage threw them into shrieks of applause with "Dixie" in which all joined in while flags waved and the band played. It was a magnificent demonstration.

Notes of the Reunion.

In giving the roster of veterans yesterday morning the 112th Regiment New York Volunteers was not given for the reason that they had not registered at headquarters. They were present by "a large majority," however among the members of the command being Capt. J. C. Russ, of Company B, Sergeant W. H. Seeley, of Company A; Private M. V. Stone, of Company A; Private A. H. Stafford and Corporal Clapp, of Company B; Sergeant J. J. Munson, and Private John Page, of Company E. The position of this regiment during the battle was at the left of the infantry force, next the marine corps, and because of this position suffered seriously as the repulse of the marines exposed them to the severest fire of the defenders of the garrison and causing them great loss. The Col. J. F. Smith, fell mortally wounded early in the action and by continued losses the command at last fell to Capt. Russ, the youngest officer of his rank in the regiment. Sergeant Seeley led the pioneer corps in the attack and fell severely wounded on the parapet as he ascended. Private Page lost his left leg in the action. The loss to the regiment was heavy in every company.

An incident pathetic in the extreme is related by one of the veterans who returned from the fort last night. On the boat yesterday morning on the trip down the river, Corporal Benjamin F. Seelye, of Company C, 117th New York Volunteers, saw and recognized Rev. James A. Smith, of the Confederate side, laying eyes on him for the first time since the day of the fight 42 years ago. Mr. Smith was recognized by Corporal Seeleye as one of the men he captured at Fisher's gate and at whose feet he threw down his gun when the fortunes of the Confederacy were lost. There was a cordial handshake between the two men and later on reaching the ruins of the fort they both went to the exact spot where Mr. Smith was taken prisoner. In the presence of a son and daughter of Mr. Smith, over the spot, the two old warriors clasped hands and vowed everlasting friendship. As this simple ceremony was in progress a tear trickled down the cheek of each of the grizzled veterans and it brought responsive tears from the eyes of a number who witnessed the incident. At the same surrender were Angus Shaw, Dougald McCormick and R. F. Currie, of Robeson, and J. W. West, of Wilmington, all of whom were present yesterday and were given the same cordial friendship pledge that it was the happy lot of Mr. Smith to receive from his comrade of the North.

Maj. J. H. Reeve, commander of the Third New York Volunteers and now Divisional Supervisor of Stamps, in the Postoffice Department at Washington, was one of the prominent men here for the reunion. He brought with him a letter that he wrote to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General asking leave to come to Wilmington to attend the funeral of a part of himself that was buried at Fisher 42 years ago." His regiment had the honor of opening fire at Big Bethel on June 10th, 1861, and served through the war. Maj. Reeve lost a leg at Fisher. His company went into Fisher with 109 men and suffered heavy losses.

Among the distinguished Federal veterans is Mr. William H. Clapp, of Auburn, N. Y. He was a member of Company B, 112th New York Infantry. Mrs. Clapp accompanies her husband to Wilmington. She is press correspondent of the G. A. R.

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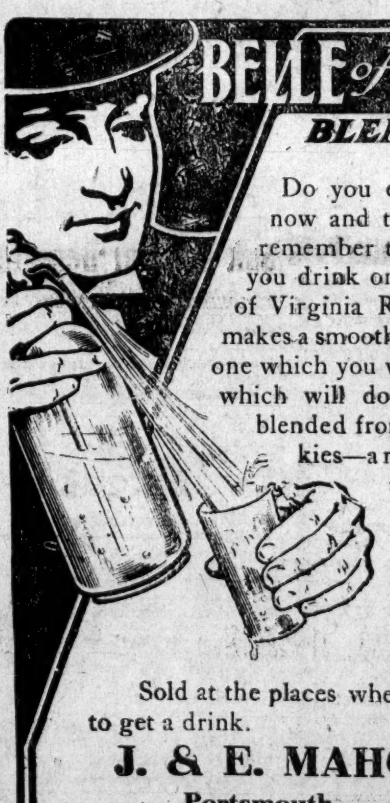

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$20.00 Suits, clearance price $15.00

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 17th.

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$1.25 silk and wool plaids, clearance price 89c

$1.25 56 inch grey plaid suitings for coat suits, clearance sale price 98c

54 inch all wool shadow plaid suitings, clearance sale price $1.23

Regular 65c per yard, 52 inch Sicilian all shades, clearance sale 50c

During our clearance sale your choice of our 50c dress goods 43c

59c Melton Suitings, 56 inch wide, clearance price 45c

52 inch broadcloth, black and all colors, clearance price 90c

52 inch chiffon Broadcloth in black and colors, clearance sale price $1.60

44 inch cheviot, in black and all colors, clearance price 50c

52 inch Panama cloth, our $1.00 quality, clearance sale price per yd 85c

44 inch Black Granite Cloth, our 85c goods, clearance sale price per yd 75c

45 inch $1.25 Sicilian, clearance sale price 98c

60c all wool black French Serge, clearance sale price 50c

48 inch $1.25 black Panama cloth, clearance sale price per yard $1.00

65c novelty Panama cloth, clearance sale price 50c

52 inch black chiffon Broadcloth; our $3.00 quality, clearance sale price, per yard $2.40

85c silk and wool Crepe cloth, clearance price, per yard 69c

36 inch chiffon finish Black Taffeta, warranted, clearance sale price, per yard 89c

36 inch, black warranted Taffeta; our $1.25 quality, clearance sale price per yard $1.00

36 inch guaranteed spot and water proof taffeta; our $1.50 quality, clearance sale price $1.22

Bed Spreads

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES.

$1.00 Bed Spreads, clearance sale price, each 85c

$1.25 Bed Spreads, clearance sale price $1.00

$1.50 Bed Spreads, clearance price $1.25

$175 Bed Spreads, clearance price $1.50

$2.00 Bed Spread clearance sale $1.75

80c Sheets 81x90, clearance sale 69c

90c Sheets 90x90, clearance sale 79c

15c Pillow Cases, clearance sale 12c

18c Pillow Cases, clearance sale 15c

25c Hemstitched Cases, clearance sale price 21c

Our $1.25 10-4 all linen Sheeting, heavy quality, clearance sale, per yd $1.00

Our $1.00 10-4 all linen sheeting, good quality, clearance sale price, per yard 90c

One lot fleeced lined Pique 35c goods, clearance price 22c

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Carpet Department

This Department offers you money saving bargains—read list of them below.

$1.50 Royal Axminster Carpet 1.20

$1.25 Sultan Velvet Carpet $1.05

$1.15 Body Brussels Carpet 95c

$1.00 Tapestry Brussels Carpet 85c

Hodges Fiber Carpets—the new floor covering 35c, 50c 60c

All the prices include the making laying and lining.

$2.00 Lace Bobinet Ruffled Curtain clearance sale, per pair $1.50

$6.50 Tapestry Portiers, clearance sale price, per pair $5.50

$6.50 Imported Lace Curtains, clearance sale $5.50

$4.00 Satine Covered Comforter, extra fine quality, clearance sale .. $3.25

$3.00 Satine Covered Comforters, clearance sale price $2.40

$8.00 all wool White Blankets, clearance sale price $6.50

Other comforts and blankets at reduced prices.

9x12 Hodges' Fiber Art Squares, regular $12, this sale $10.50. New patterns just received.

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15c Madras for ladies' waists, clearance sale price 10c

20c White Madras, clearance price, per yard 16 2-3c

25c White Madras, clearance sale price per yard 20c

35c White Madras, clearance sale price per yard 27c

One lot white Madras, short lengths, 15c value, clearance price, per yd 19c

45 inch French Lawn, clearance price, per yard 19c

40 inch White Lawn, very pretty, clearance price, per yard 20c

20c 40 inch White Lawn, clearance price, per yard 15c

15c 40 inch White Lawn, clearance price, per yard 12c

Big Values in India Linens

15c India Linen, clearance price, per yard 12c

18c India Muslins, clearance price, per yard 15c

25c India Linens, clearance sale price, per yard 20c

30c India Linens, clearance sale price, per yard 23c

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12 YARDS TO PIECE.

$1.50 quality, clearance price, per piece $1.25

$1.75 quality, clearance price, per piece $1.50

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Raleigh, Jan., 14.—The Seaboard Air Line notifies the corporation commission it will establish the block system on its line between Hamlet and Monroe as recommended by the commission, the distance being 60 miles.

—Maxton Chief:—The Maxton Building & Loan Association begun a new series Saturday, January 5th This worthy institution is growing stronger every day, and we are glad to see that it is receiving the support and encouragement of our people. A well managed B. & L. Association will do as much for the upbuilding of a town as any other single agency.

—Asheville, Jan., 14.—The 7 year old girl of James Rucker, a negro of this city, was criminally assaulted this morning between 7 and 8 o'clock. The father of the child is suspected. The crime was committed while the mother was gone some distance for coal. After the discovery of the crime a physician was summoned and the child sent to the hospital. It is in a critical condition. The police have the case.

—Asheville, Jan., 14.—A great increase in business at the Asheville postoffice is shown for 1906 over 1905 by the report of Postmaster Rollins, which is just completed and which will go to the Postoffice Department this week. There were gains in all departments in 1906 over 1905, notwithstanding the fact that 1905 receipts showed a healthy gain over the previous year. From the sale of stamps, etc., the receipts in 1905 amounted to $50,181.23. In 1906 the receipts went to $57,289.76, or a gain ovr 1905 of $7,108.53. The total number of packages and letters received for registration in 1906 was 12,170; in 1905, 9,740, a gain of 2,430 of 24 per cent. The money order business in 1906 also showed a great increase over 1905.

—Asheville, Jan., 14.—The Y. M. C. A. campaign for funds to relieve the local association of debt and to equip it in an up-to-date manner has progressed so satisfactorily that it is now certain the full $20,000 asked for will be secured before the expiration of the time limit. The campaign closes on January 25, and there remains yet to be raised approximately $6,000. The campaign for the $20,000 was begun on January 1. Just prior to that date Governor Glenn and other prominent speakers were here in the interest of the plan and started the work with much eloquence and the arousing of considerable enthusiasm. The raising of $20,000 in so short a time was a considerable undertaking, and at first fear was expressed that failure would result. Success, however, instead of failure, has crowned the efforts of those most interested.

—Charlotte Observer:—A year ago Messrs. J. B. Ivey & Co., announced that they would divide a percentage of their profits with the employes of their store. The plan was decided upon as an incentive to better service and a willingness on the part of the firm to have their selling force share in the earnings of the business. Last night at the close of business a meeting was called and the results announced. It was found that the sum of $500 was to be divided among 15 employes who had been with the house one year. It is needless to say that the year just closed has been a most prosperous one for this concern, and both the firm and employes are much pleased with the results. The same plan will no doubt be adopted for the coming year as Ivey & Co., believe it to be a decided benefit to their business as well as being a substantial help to their empployes.

—Asheville, Jan., 14.—S. Sternberg and E. Sternberg, of Asheville, through their attorneys, Carter & Chedester, have begun an action to prevent the Asheville Southern Railway from condemning private property for rights of way. In the complaints that are filed some sensational allegations are made. It is alleged that the Asheville Southern Railway is no more nor less than the Southern Railway Company and that certain of its officers conspired to form a fraudulent railway company in order to candemn the lands of private individuals and prevent other railways from finding an ingress into Asheville. It is further stated in the complaint that the attorney general of North Carolina will be asked to institute quo warranto proceedings on behalf of the State to revoke the charter of the alleged fraudulent railway company. The application will be based on the ground that the Asheville Southern was granted a charter in December, 1905, on the supposition that it was a bona fide railway company.

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Victims of a False Prophet.

Just before the opening of the Kaffir rebellion in South Africa, about the middle of the last century, the soothsayers bade the tribes kill their cattle and destroy their crops of grain. The spirits of their ancestors were to arise and help them to exterminate every white man in the country. The advice was solemnly accepted. When the day of the great uprising arrived many of the rebels were already starving. But there came no ghostly herds of cattle out of the earth, no crops not sown with hands. Grim, terrible famine swept over the land, and in the months which followed, although the authorities did everything in their power to mitigate its horrors, 30,000 victims of a false prophet starved to death.

Ventilation.

Have we ever stopped to think how our ancestors two or three generations back lived and flourished with little or no ventilation in their sleeping apartments? The night air used to be considered a very dreadful menace to health and a sure inducer of colds. Bedrooms were kept closely shut, and yet our ancestors, many of them, were hardier than we and lived to good old ages. Animals burrow in their holes at night, breathing the same air over and over again, while birds and fowls tuck their heads under their wings. Of course ventilation is absolutely necessary for proper comfort, cleanliness and health, but people have lived on little or none of it for hundreds and thousands of years.

Another Soft Answer.

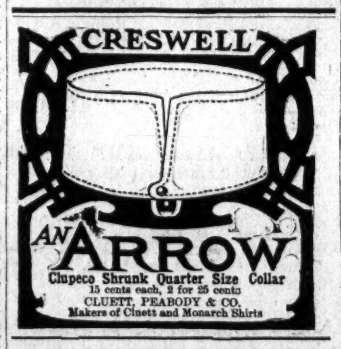
"I'm glad to say," remarked Mrs. Strongminde in an insinuating tone, "that my husband is not a sporty man."

"Oh," replied Mrs. Kaflyppe, looking very sweet and innocent, "I'm surprised to hear you say that. I had always supposed that he must have married you on a bet."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Buying or Selling?

It is told of the son of a horse dealer, a sharp lad, when once unexpectedly called upon by his father to mount a horse and exhibit its paces, the little fellow whispered the question in order to regulate how he should ride, "Are you buying or selling?"—Tit-Bits.

See what thy soul doth wear. Dare to look into thy chest, for 'tis thine own, and tumble up and down what thou findest there.—Wordsworth.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Having qualified as administrator of W. L. Williams, deceased, all persons indebted to the said Williams are hereby notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said Williams must present them within twelve months of date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

F. CARLEY WEST,
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LAND ENTRY 1907.

I make claim to the following vacant land belonging to the State of North Carolina for the purpose of obtaining a grant from the State, situated in the State of North Carolina, New Hanover county, adjoining the lands of the Suburban Land Co., on the north, on the east by the lands of J. E. Hines and Charles Teetchen, south and west by the lands of Frank Canady and others, containing fifty acres more or less.

THOS. F. BAGLEY.
Filed December 26th, 1906.
JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker
de. 27-30d
Dec., 26th, 1906.

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They are William Calder, James H. Chadbourn, D. McEachern, William E. Worth, George R. French, H. L. Vollers, C. W. Yates, J. S. Armstrong, H. B. Short, D. T. McKeithan and N. A. Hunt.

Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus	225,000.00
Deposits	1,250,000.00

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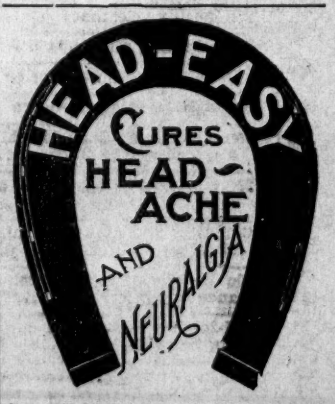

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LIABILITIES.	Sept 4,1906	Nov. 12, 1906
Capital	$ 200,000.00	$ 200,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits, net	111,105.74	115,527.68
Circulation	200,000.00	200,000.00
Rediscounts	18,500.00	none
Deposits	574,793.74	881,519.73
	$1,104,399.48	$1,397,047.41
RESOURCES:		
Loans and Discounts	$ 468,251.50	$ 506,795.15
Overdrafts	782.16	907.18
United States Bonds and Premiums	259,296.88	259,296.88
Furniture and Fixtures	5,929.29	5,929.29
Cash, and Due From Other Banks	370,139.65	624,118.91
	$1,104,399.48	$1,397,047.41

We Have $300,000.00 to Loan at Six per cent to New Customers.

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SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK.

We have a line of elegant Leather Rockers and Chairs. We have marked them down in order to move every one before Christmas.
We have five handsome Parlor Suits.
We have five beautiful Toilet Tables.
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We have 9 Couches.
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We have 10 Dinner Sets.
We have 225 Rugs.
We have 30 Rolls Matting.
We have 25 Reed Rockers,
Which we will sell between now and Christmas.
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Jan. 15, 1907.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, firm, 67 1-2c.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.85.

TAR—Market firm $2.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3.35 per barrel for hard, $4.50 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine firm 65 1-2; rosin firm $3.50; tar firm $1.80; crude turpentine firm $2.50, $4.50 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	29
Rosin	219
Tar	131
Crude	60

Receipts same day last year—33 casks spirits turpentine; 335 barrels rosin; 90 barrels tar; 53 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts 3,360 bales; same day last year 330 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.10; extra prime $1.15; fancy $1.15@$1.20 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—Prime 95c; extra prime $1.00; fancy $1.10@$1.20; Spanish $1.20@$1.25.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 17@18c per pound; shoulders, 12to 13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 27c.

CHICKENS—Dull 15@25c for small grown 30 @ 35c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 9c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@9c.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 16c @ 17c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Jan. 15.—The cotton market was firmer to-day and recovered part of its recent loss with the close very steady to a net advance of 11 to 16 points. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales. The market opened steady at a decline of one point to an advance of 5 points, generally 2 to 6 points higher, owing to better cables than looked for and covering. At first there was considerable selling pressure and prices eased off to a shade under the closing figures of last night, but no stop loss orders were uncovered and the market later rallied on a renewal of covering and a few buying orders from New Orleans. Cables continued steady, reporting the local market small and the estimates for to-morrow receipts at leading points look a little higher, although the bulls do not expect any falling off in the movement of consequence until after the end of January export engagements have been settled. During the afternoon there were slight recessions but the market showed a generally tone steady and the close was within a point or two of the best. Business was again largely professional but some of the wire houses had a few buying orders, presumably for Southern short accounts. Southern spot markets as officially reported were unchanged to 1-4c lower, but the private wires reported continued scarcity of high grades and very firm interior holders.

Receipts of cotton at the ports to-day were 63,532 bales against 63,688 last week and 35,864 last year. For the week 315,000 bales against 327,341 last week and 135,243 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans were 16,937 bales against 10,421 last year and at Houston 26,927 against 8,127 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady 10 points higher; middling uplands 10.80; middling gulf 11.05; no sales.

Futures closed very steady. Prices ranged as follows:

Month	Open	Closing bid
January	9.22	9.29
February	—	9.39
March	9.36	9.46
April	9.42	9.55
May	9.51	9.61
June	9.53	9.65
July	9.58	9.70
August	9.49	9.63
October	9.49	9.60

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston: Steady, 10 9-16; net receipts 30,794.

New Orleans: Steady 10 7-16; net receipts 16,937.

Mobile: Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts 1,939.

Savannah: Steady, 10 1-16; net receipts 6,273.

Charleston: Firm, 10; net receipts 666.

Wilmington: Nominal; net receipts 3,351.

Norfolk: Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts 2,842.

Baltimore: Nominal, 10 3-4.

New York: Steady, 10.80.

Boston: Steady 10.80; net receipts 649.

Philadelphia: Steady, 10.05; net receipts 81.

Total to-day, at all ports, net 63,532; Great Britain 12,631; Continent 13,986; stock 1,303,331.

Consolidated, at all ports, net 196,087; Great Britain 67,988; France 34,669; Continent 69,224; Japan 5,610.

Total, since Spet. 1, at all ports, net 6,648,989; Great Britain 2,094,289; France 600,172; Continent 1,918,260; Japan 113,383.

Interior Movement.

Houston: Steady, 10 9-16; net receipts 26,927.

Augusta: Quiet, 10,7-8; net receipts 1,513.

Memphis: Steady, 10 5-16; net receipts 1,994.

St. Louis: Quiet, 10 1-2; net receipts 400.

Cincinnati: Net receipts 547.

Louisville: Firm, 10 1-2.

Total: Net receipts 31,381; gross receipts 37,666; shipments 35,502; sales 5,098; stock 343,546.

Liverpool Markets.

Liverpool, Jan., 15.—Closing: Cotton, good business done;; prices 7 points lower; American middling fair 6.55; good middling 6.07; middling 5.79; low middling 5.57; good ordinary 5.16; ordinary 4.93.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,000 American; receipts 49,000 bales including 36,600 American. Futures opened easier and closed firm. American middling G. O. C: January 5.51; Jan and Feb 5.50 1-2; Feb and March 5.48; March and April 5.46 1-2; April and May 5.46; May and June 5.46; June and July 5.45 1-2; July and August 5.45; Aug and Sept 5.39 1-2; Sept and Oct 5.34; Oct and Nov 5.29 1-2; Nov and Dec 5.29.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Jan. 15.—Money on call easy 3@4 1-2 per cent. Ruling rate 4, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-2; time loans steady; 60 and 90 days 6 per cent; six month 6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6@6 1-2. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8515@4.8720 for demand and at 4.8080@4.8090 for 60 days bills. Posted rates 4.81@4.81 1-2 and 4.85 1-2@4.86. Commercial bills 4.80 1-2. Bar silver 68 1-4. Mexican dollars 52 3-4

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104 1-4
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	102
U. S. 3s cou	102 3-4
U. S. Old 4s reg	100 7-8
U. S. 4s cou	100 3-4
U. S. New 4s cou	129 1-2
U. S. New 4s reg	129 1-2
American tobacco Co	78
American Tobacco Co 6s	110 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line	98 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 5-8
Seaboard Air Line bid	81
Southern Railway	113 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	98 1-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	118 1-4
American Sugar Refining	133 3-4
American Tobacco Co.	97
Atlantic Coast Line	129
Baltimore & Ohio	119
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93 1-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	53 3-8
L. & N.	143 3-8
New York Central	131
Norfolk & Western	88 1-4
Norfolk & Western pfd	88 3-4
Peoples Gas	97
Reading	135 1-4
Reading 1st pfd	89
Reading 2nd pfd	90
Southern Pacific	95 3-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117 1-2
Southern Railway	31 5-8
Southern Railway pfd	90 1-4
Tenn Coal & Iron	158
U. S. Steel	49 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd	106 1-4
Va-Car. Chemical	36 3-4
Va-Car Chemical pfd	107 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line	—
Standard Oil	535
Western Union	88 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Jan. 15.—Flour dull, but steady.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot barely steady; No. 2 red 79 1-4 elevator. Options 3-8c net decline; May 82 1-4; July 81 7-8.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2 53 elevator. Options 1-8c net higher. January 52 7-8; May 50 7-8; July 51.

OATS—Spot firm. Mixed 39@39 1-2.

LARD—Firm. Refined steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw quiet. Refining 3; centrifugal 96 test 3 1-2; molasses 2 3-4 Refined quiet.

COFFEE—Steady. No. 7 Rio 6 7-8; Santos No. 4, 7 7-8; mild coffee steady. Cordova 9@12 1-2. Futures 5@10 points lower.

BUTTER—Steady; renovated common to extra 16@23; western factory common to firsts 17 1-2@21.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged; receipts 1,195.

EGGS—Firm; selected white 34@35; good to choice 30@33; mixed 31; western firsts 28; seconds 26@27.

POTATOES—Steady, unchanged.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Quiet and steady; unchanged.

PEANUTS—Quiet and steady, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Offered lower for spot, but futures were higher; prime crude fob mills 35 1-3@36; prime summer yellow 43 1-2 asked; prime white 47; prime winter yellow 47.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—A sharp decline in the price of wheat at Minneapolis caused a weak finish to the local market. The May delivery was down 3-8c. Corn was up 1-8@1-4. Oats showed a gain of 1-4@3-8. Provisions were 5c higher to 5c lower.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat:			
May	76 5-8	76 1-8	76 1-8
July	76 1-2	75 7-8	75 7-8
Corn:			
Jan	40	40	40
May	44	43 5-8	43 7-8
July	44	43	43 7-8
Oats:			
Jan	35 5-8	34 1-4	34 5-8
May	37 1-4	36 5-8	37 1-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.:			
Jan	16.10	16.10	16.10
May	16.75	16.62 1-2	16.65
July	16.80	16.80	16.80
Lard, per 100 lbs.:			
Jan	9.40	9.35	9.37 1-2
May	9.60	9.55	9.55
July	9.62 1-2	9.57 1-2	9.60
Short Ribs. per 100 lbs.:			
Jan	9.02 1-2	9.00	9.02 1-2
May	9.22 1-2	9.15	9.22 1-2
July	9.22 1-2	9.27 1-2	9.32 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 Spring Wheat 76@79; No. 3 65@78; No. 2 red 72@72 1-2 No. 2 Corn 40 3-4; No. 2 yellow 41 1-4; No. 2 Oats 34 5-8; No. 2 white 35 1-2; No. 3 white 35@36 1-2; No. 2 Rye 62.

Short Ribs, Sides, (loose) 8.75@9.10 Mess Pork, per bbl. 16.10; Lard, per 100 lbs 9.37 1-2; Short Clear Sides (boxed) 9.25@9.37 1-2; Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.29.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Jan., 15.—Dressgoods buyers' Association held a meting today to hear reports from the committees that have been trying during the year to prevent mills and commission houses from selling to retailers. The independent woolen and worsted manufacturers held a meeting to discuss means of stopping the practice of cancellations by dealers. Trade during the day was steady and prices were very firm. Between four thousand and nine thousand bales of China goods have been sold since the latest movement started in. Flanneletts for fall will be opened tomorrow at an advance of 1-4 a yard. Lines of cotton blankets have been opened at advances ranging from 5 to 7 1-2 per cent.

NAVAL STORES

New York, Jan. 15.—Turpentine quiet 72 1-2 to 73; rosin quiet, strained common to good 4.30.

Savannah, Jan. 15.—Turpentine firm 68 1-4; sales 589, receipts 463; shipments 155.

Rosin firm; sales 2,493; receipts 4,665; shipments 519; stock 81,734. Quote A B C 4.10@4.12 1-2; D 4.10@4.15; E 4.15@4.17 1-2; F 4.20@4.22 1-2; G 4.25; H 4.45@4.50; I 4.50; K 5.15; M 5.50; N 6.25; WG 6.75; WW 7.00.

Charleston, Jan. 15.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Robinson, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Schr. R. T. Rundlett, 219 tons, Johnson, Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

CLEARED.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Robinson, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Br. Str. England, Curtis, Liverpool, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Exports—Coastwise.

Liverpool—Br. Str. England, 13,200 bales cotton; 6,380,487 lbs. valued at $700,002; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 15, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—750 bales cotton; 39 barrels rosin; 24 barrels tar; 24 carrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—715 bales cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine; 61 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,653 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—219 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 26 barrels rosin; 22 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—4 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—9 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin.

Str. Lyon—10 bales cotton; 58 barrels rosin; 69 barrels tar; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—3,360 bales cotton; 29 casks spirits turpentine; 219 barrels rosin; 131 barrels tar; 60 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now In Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Eriphia (Ger) 1,295 tons, Lau, Heide & Co.

Normannia (Danish) 1,660 tons, Ericksen, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Rothesay, (Br) 280 tons, Phipps, C. D. Maffitt.

Ella L. Davenport, 470 tons, Dunton, C. D. Maffitt.

Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Williams, C. D. Maffitt.

Edna, 282 tons, Cole, C. D. Maffitt.

Damaraland (Br), 199 tons, Anderson, C. D. Maffitt.

Annie C. Grace, 454 tons, Bonsell, C. D. Maffitt.

R. J. Rundlett, 219 tons; Johnson, C. D. Maffitt.

Fifteen Per Cent Discount Sale on Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets and fancy Lamps, ten days only. F. A. Bissinger, 119 Market street. ja-15-2t

Are you tired, fagged out, nervous, sleepless, feel mean? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, strengthens your nerves, aids digestion, brings refreshing sleep. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company.

BEST WISHES.

TO THE TRADE:

It is with much pleasure that we take this oportunity of extending to you our "Compliments of the Season," and wish for you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

It is needless to say that we sincerely trust our relations in the future will be mutually beneficial, profitable and pleasant in every way, and now assure you anew that our services and facilities are always at your command, when we will be pleased to give the same our best and prompt attention.

Again, with best wishes, we beg to remain, Yours very truly,

BROOKS & TAYLOR,
Wholesale Grocers,
Wilmington, N. C.

dec. 25-tf.

EARTH SHOCK WRECKS KINGSTON

Island of Jamaica Visited By Disastrous Quake at 4 O'clock Monday.

SERIOUS LOSS OF LIFE

Number of People Killed May Reach One Hundred or More—The City Caught Fire and Great Conflagration Ensued.

Kingston, the picturesque capital of the island of Jamaica, has been devastated by a violent earthquake.

Details of the disaster are lacking as direct communication with the stricken city has been cut off. The land lines had been re-constructed to within five miles of Kingston Tuesday evening and from meagre reports received through such channels as were opened, it has been learned that many of the most important buildings have been destroyed and that there has been a serious loss of life. The military hospital was destroyed by fire and 40 soldiers are reported dead. The reports indicate that the fatalities will number less than 100 though the hospitals are filled with injured and the list of victims may be materially increased.

Kingston and the other points of interest of the island are at this season of the year thronged with tourists from both America and England, and the greatest apprehension is felt for the safety of many persons who had recently arrived at the Jamaican resorts. Everybody is camping out and much distress prevails.

Little Damage Elsewhere.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Jan., 15JThe following cablegram was received at the Hamburg-American Line here today:

"Holland Bay, Jamaica, Jan., 15, 5:38 P. M.—Slight earthquake here yesterday. No damage; also no damage at Port Antonia or to the Titchfield Hotel. Advise our papers."

Holland Bay, where is situated a cable hut from which the above cablegram was sent, is about forty miles east of Kinston. The Titchfield Hotel is situated in Antonia and just now has many guests from the North.

Kingston is the capital of the island of Jamaica and the principal seaport and commercial city of that island. It is situated on the south coast and on the north side of a fine harbor. The latter is a land locked basin, available for the largest ships and is enclosed on the south by a long tongue of land at the extremity of which is Port Royal. The population of Kinston is about 50,000.

The only volcanic formation is the island is that of the low Layton and Retreat estates in the parish of Portland, a mile from the sea, in the county of Surrey, in which Kingston is situated. There is, however, no defined crater and the volcanic materials are the only evidence remaining. The coast formation of Surrey county is of white and yellow limestone and the greater part of the counrty is very mountainous.

In August 1903 Jamaica was swept by a hurricane which almost totally destroyed Port Antonia and inflicted damage in various parts of the island amounting to about $10,000,000. Thousands of houses in Kingston were damaged, the wharves were battered and several coasting vessels were sunk.

On November 13th last, a sharp earthquake shock was felt in the south and north of the island of Jamaica. It was followed immediately by a second shock which was the heaviest experienced in Jamaica in many years. 1692 a great earthquake destroyed Port Royal of whose 2,000 houses only 200 were left standing. It was this catastrophe which led to the founding of Kingston, many of the survivors removing to the plain of Liguanea and settling on land belonging to Colonel Beeston, where Kingston now stands.

In 1782 a severe conflagration visited Kingston destroying property to the value of $2,500,000, and in 1843 another fire caused damage to the amount of about $15,000.

In August 1880 a cyclone passed over the eastern half of Jamaica, destroying nearly all the wharves in the harbor of Kingston and also caused much damage to the shipping in the harbor.

The storm lasted about five hours but little rain fell in Kingston and there was moonlight throughout. There was a double shock of earthquake at Kingston, each consisting of a large number of tremors lasting seven or eight seconds, on December 7, 1880. The shocks were felt throughout the island.

A tremendous hurricane visited Jamaica in 1815. The whole island was deluged, hundreds of houses were washed away, vessels were wrecked and about 1,000 persons were drowned.

The city of Kingston is laid out with regular and wide streets, and the better class of houses are neatly built with wide verandas and surrounded by handsome gardens. Street cars run to the suburbs and two lines of railways connect the city with the northern and eastern parts of the island.

Kingston has a botanical garden, library, museum, hospital, and various other public buildings and is the seat of an Anglican bishopric.

The harbor of Kingston is considered to be one of the finest in the world and is protected by forts. There is a naval arsenal at Port Royal.

Nearly all the trade of the colony of Jamaica centers at Kingston. Kingston and the commercial houses of that city have extensive relations with southern Cuba and Central America as well as with the United States and Europe. The exports are mainly rum, coffee, dye woods and fruits.

The streets of Kingston run at right angles to the sea.

SENATOR TILLMAN RILES SPOONER

War of Words in Senate Between These Old Antagonists in Debate.

PITCHFORK MAN WAS SCORED

Goaded Wisconsin Senator Into Attack on Him During Debate on Discharge of Negro Soldiers—Tillman Wrathy at Insult.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Jan., 15.—Goaded by frequent interruptions from Mr. Tillman, the speech of Mr. Spooner in the Senate today, on the resolution for the investigation of the affray at Brownsville, was changed from a constitutional argument in defense of President Roosevelt's course in discharging a negro battalion of the army to a severe arraignment of the South Carolina Senator. He quoted from Mr. Tillman's utterances defending lynchings as a means of controlling negroes and said that to encourage such mob violence was a disgrace to civilization. Mr. Tillman was not permitted to reply to this criticism at the time, but at the conclusion of Mr. Spooner's attack, declared that at an early date he would take occasion to defend himself against the "insulting allusions" made by Mr. Spooner.

The bitter feeling evoked by the controversy between the Senators makes it impossible to say when a vote can be had on the resolution. It is expected the debate will now be extended.

Mr. Sponer took the position that article 4, of the articles of war gives to the commander-in-cmief of the army the power to dismiss the troops in the manner employed. He referred to the affray at Walla Walla, Washington, during President Cleveland's administration and said that the investigation of that disturbance resulted in a recommendation that the four companies involved be dismissed. He said that the only reason these men were not dismissed was because there was then no authority for such action. The order providing for dismissal "without honor," said Mr. Spooner, was made to meet just such case.

"I never heard until yesterday," said Mr. Spooner, "that the President had not the power of sending forces where he chose. I never heard that that was not a part of the power of command until this was proclaimed yesterday by the Senator from Georgia (Mr. Bacon.)

The point was made by Mr. Spooner that the constitution does not say that Congress has the power to govern the military forces, but to make rules for the government of the army. He claimed that the words "to make rules" meant that the enforcement of the regulations for the government of the army rests absolutely with the President as commander-in-chief. In cases where Congress has legislated to reappoint men to the army and navy, Mr. Spooner said, is merely gave the President authority, in his discretion, to re-appoint men or permit their re-enlistment. On this subject he engaged in brief colloquy with Mr. Bacon, in which the General Fitzjohn Porter case was referred to and it was recalled that President Arthur had vetoed the first act of Congress concerning General Porter, on the ground that Congress had no right to pass an act to compel him to re-appoint any man by name.

Mr. Spooner declared that Mr. Bacon's position was in utter disregard to the constitution itself; that absolute power has to be lodged in he government somewhere, and in the case under discussion this absolute power had been divided between the President and Congress. He said the question of whether the 167 negro soldiers had been discharged from the army by an order not in accord with the President's constitutional authority could be tested any day. These men may go into the court of claims and sue for their pay and there test the constitutionality of their discharges.

Mr. Spooner said he wished the procedure in discharging the negroes had been different. It would have been much better if there had been a court of inquiry, where all of the suspected soldiers could have been examined and the witnesses against them or for them cross-examined.

Mr. Tillman sought recognition but Mr. Spooner first undertook to learn the length of the question he wished to ask. Mr. Spooner had criticised l(dlfd?;o7of,f shrdlu shrdlu shrdlu the course of the officers of the battalion and had spoken of the President's confidence in Major Penrose.

"I'll make my question like a bullet," said Mr. Tillman. "The question is why the President has not adopted Major Penrose's recommendation for the ferreting out of the guilty.

"The President of the United States will never require any defense from he attacks of the Senator from South Carolina," was Mr. Spooner's reply. "He has developed a mania for attacking the President. I did not intend to branch off on such a discussion, but I have never been so surprised by any man's attitude as I have by that of the Senator from South Carolina."

The Senator from South Carolina was the subject of one of the most and stringent indictments ever delivered by a Senator against a colleague. Mr. Spooner quoted from Mr. Tillman's utterances defending the burning of negroes at the stake and said:

"No man ought to encourage such a horrible thing as that. It is crime against civilization to encourage it."

Continuing, he said he had looked with admiration upon the efforts of Governor Vardaman and other executives of Southern States to suppress mobs seeking the lives of negroes without giving them trials on account of the crimes they were suspected of having committed. "I have been skocked," he said "by the attitude of the Senator from South Carolina on more than one occasion when he has spoken here and in justification and support of the support of the continuance of lynching. If there is one man who ought not to encourage it, it is the man who sits here as the maker of laws."

Disclaiming any intention to abuse Mr. Tillman, the Wisconsin Senator said it was his purpose only to make a plea for good government. He said he had not intended to be led into such a discussion, but had been goaded to it by Mr. Tillman himself.

"And I want to say here," he continued, "that any man who encourages lynching, murder and lawlessness will have much to answer for, and the higher his position and the mightier his influence, the more will he have to answer for. No man can come here with good grace to impeach the President for his dismissal of men because they were not identified as criminals, who comes to that accusation from a lynching bee or who justifies one."

Mr. Spooner concluded his speech with a brief discussion of the race question, declaring his belief that the majority of the people of the South did not entertain the radical views which had been expressed by Senator Tillman. He admitted the difficulties and hardships of the race problem in the South and said the people of the North felt the best way to aid in the solution of these difficulties was for them to refrain from discussing them. In this connection he did not believe the agitation of Senator Tillman could have the effect to quiet the situation. Mr. Spooner quoted a newspaper report of one of Senator Tillman's lectures, in which he referred to negroes as baboons and said when asked "How about the laws," replied "to hell with such laws."

When Mr. Spooner took his seat, Mr. Tillman remarked that he "had expected to have a few words to say to the Senator from Wisconsin, in view of the direct personal attack he has made on me this afternoon. But the latter part of his speech has widened the scope of the reply I wish to make, and, therefore, I will take occasion in the near future to have something to say on this question and in answer to some of the insulting allusions he has made."

WANTS DISPENSARY ABOLISHED.

South Carolina's New Governor, M. F. Ansell, Inaugurated.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 15.—Martin F. Ansel, of Greenville, was inaugurated governor of South Carolina, to-day in the presence of a large audience gathered from every section of the State. The inauguration of Gov. Ansel marks a new era in the history of South Carolina politics in that he is the first chief executive who has opposed the State dispensary system, which was enacted 15 years ago under the leadership of Gov. B. R. Tillman, and which has since been the leading issue in State politics.

In his inaugural address to-day Gov. Ansel recommended the abolishment of the present liquor system. Whether or not the dispensary will be abolished depends upon the action of the General Assembly now in session. In the House there is an admitted majority in favor of its extinction, while in the Senate both sides are claiming a majority.

Among other recommendation of the incoming governor are the abolition of bucket shops, a system of rural police, liberal appropriation for the public schools, more drastic punishment for criminal assault upon women and liberal support of the Department of Immigration.

SHOOTING IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Three Men Seriously Wounded in Edgefield County.

Augusta, Ga., Jan., 15.—A special from Springfield, S. C., says:

William Fleming, a photographer, was shot through the thigh and stomach today and fatally wounded. Chief of Police Halloway is shot through the thigh and Calvin Cooper is seriously wounded in the thigh. During the afternoon Fleming and a friend began tormenting horses of farmers left in a wagon lot. When the chief of police attempted to arrest the tfo men hey resisted. Cooper was pressed into service by the officer and immediately a battle ensued. Fleming shot Halloway through the thigh, and turning his pistol on Cooper wounded him seriously. While on the ground Halloway shot Fleming in the thigh and stomach.

The Senate Committee on Finance yesterday agreed to report favorably the nomination of Postmaster General Cortelyou to be Secretary of the Treasury and James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, to be Secretary of the Interior. The vote on both Mr. Cortelyou and Mr. Garfield was unanimous, the members of the committee assenting to the view that the President should be allowed to select his own advisors. Later in the day while the Senate was in executive session the nominations of Messrs.

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it, for sale rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites, and skin dieases. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

Special hour sales at Polvagt's every day on Front street. Double trading stamps with every cash sale. **

Double Trading stamps during Polvogt's Clearance Sale. Special one hour sales every day. **

Wings and fancy feathers at half price. Donnelly & King's Bankrupt Sale. **

Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

BIRTH OF A HYMN.

Story of the Origin of "In the Sweet By and By."

A song of national circulation, "In the Sweet By and By," written by S. Fillmore Bennett of Elkhorn, Wis., had its birth in a country store. Mr. Bennett told the story, which is given in "Wisconsin In Three Centuries," as follows:

It was about time for closing business in the evening when J. P. Webster, whose melodies have made Wisconsin famous, came into the store, feeling somewhat depressed.

I said to Webster, "What is the matter now?"

He replied, "It is no matter; it will be all right by and by."

The idea of the hymn came to me like a flash of sunshine, and I replied: "The sweet by and by. Why would not that make a good hymn?"

"Maybe it would," he said indifferently.

I then turned to my desk and penned the hymn as fast as I could write. I handed it to Mr. Webster. As he read it his eyes kindled and his whole demeanor changed. Stepping to the desk, he began writing the notes instantly.

In a few moments he requested Mr. Bright to hand him his violin, and he played with little hesitation the beautiful melody from the notes. A few moments later he had jotted down the notes for the different parts and the chorus.

I do not think it was more than thirty minutes from the time I took my pencil to write the words before the hymn and the notes had all been completed and four of us were singing it exactly as it appeared in the Signet Ring a few days later and as it has been sung the world over ever since.

35c Moline 20c; 75c Vellings 50c; Hats half price. Donnelly & King's Bankrupt Sale. **

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FOR SALE—One counter show-case, one upright case, one display case; five settees, all in good order. Peterson & Rulfs, 7 North Front street, Wilmington, N. C. j16 eod 3t

A BOY, six years old, wants any kind of job. Edward Quinan, 312 Dock street. j16-1t*

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—Wanted at once. Telegraph "Enterprise," High Point, N. C., j16-1t

BUILDERS—Our large stock of rough inch boards will be sold cheap in carload lots. Write C. T. D., P. O. Box, 912 Wilmington, N. C. ja16-1w

FOR SALE—21-foot launch with new floating boat house. Best built boat on the river. Engine and hull good as new. Address A. B. Skelding, 27 North Front street. ja-15-4t.*

FOR SALE—Two lots on Princess street between 14th and 15th streets, (situated on projected car line) size 30x180 feet each; price $250 each, also vacant lot at Front and Queen streets. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate and Notary. d25-tf

FOR RENT—Desirable house, 715 North Fourth street, eight rooms, sewerage, bath and cistern. Apply to H. W. Konig, Fourth and Bladen. j13-tf

WANTED—Young man wants position in dry goods store or shipping clerk in wholesale house. Can give best reference. B. D., care Star. j-13-1t

FOR SALE—Four fine mules, ranging in price from $125 to $200. Sold separately or in pairs. Apply to J. A. Perry, Castle Haynes, N. C. ja-11-tf.

NEW SERIES B. & L. STOCK now open. Mechanics' Home Association. Nathaniel Jacobi, president; W. M Cumming secretary. j9-tf-ex su

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